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The Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Re: Amendment and Response
Appl. No.: 08/875,888
102(e) Date: August 6, 1997
For: New Pharmaceutical Composition
With Anaesthetic Effect
Inventor: Brodin, *et al.*
Atty. Dkt.: ABA300/13003-4-28CPA

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Sir:

The following documents are being forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

1. Amendment and Response Under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 and 1.115;
2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136;
3. Fee Calculation Sheet;
4. Our checks in the amount of \$564.00 representing fees for additional claims; and \$110.00 representing the fee for a one-month extension of time; and
5. One return post card.

It is respectfully requested that the enclosed post card be stamped with the date the enclosed documents are received by the PTO and that it be returned as soon as possible.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 22-0365.

Respectfully submitted,

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